

**Chapter 15 Darwin's Theory of Evolution**

**Section Review 15-1**

**Reviewing Key Concepts**

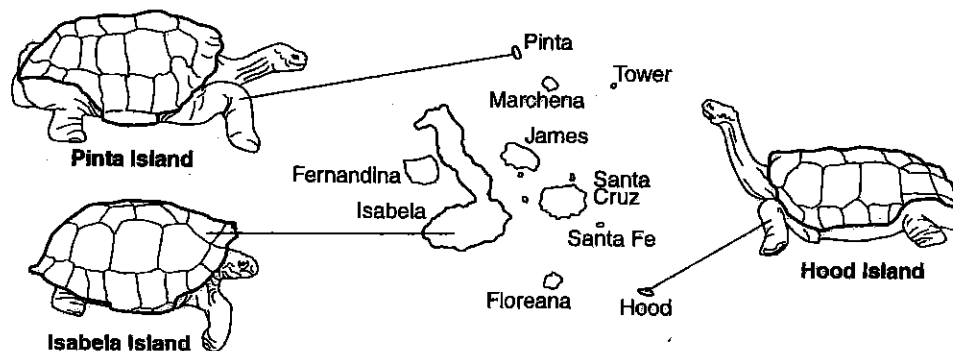
**Completion** *On the lines provided, complete the following sentences.*

1. Darwin's voyage aboard the H.M.S. \_\_\_\_\_ led him to propose a revolutionary hypothesis about life.
2. Darwin's hypothesis about how life changes over time is now called the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. On the Galápagos Islands, Darwin observed that the characteristics of many animals and plants \_\_\_\_\_ from island to island.

**Reviewing Key Skills**

4. **Inferring** Charles Darwin was very curious and analytical. How might these traits have contributed to his success as a scientist? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. **Evaluating** What important information about the Galápagos Island tortoises did Darwin learn? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. **Comparing and Contrasting** Given its body structure, which tortoise below would require a habitat where food is easy to reach? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. **Interpreting Graphics** Which of the tortoises below would most easily be able to obtain food that is hard to reach? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. **Inferring** On the Galápagos Islands, Darwin discovered birds with differently shaped beaks. What might this tell you about the eating habits of the birds? Explain.  
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